REGISTER OF
CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register:	10 December 1998
Name of applicant/court:	The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.
Applicant to the Labelling Body:	Video Wholesalers Ltd
Title of Publication:	Sylvana: Lady of Lust & Passion
Other Known Titles:	Not Stated
Director:	Moli
Producer:	Not Stated
Publisher:	Not Applicable
Author:	Not Applicable
Format:	Video Recording VHS/PAL
Country of Origin:	Germany
Language:	German, English

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Reason(s) for Excision:

One excision is required to remove the starting sequence of a trailer. This sequence contains a number of close-up depictions of a female's gaping anus during and after anal intercourse. These depictions are interspersed with other shots of sexual activity plus the title of the trailer, *Planet of the Gapes.* The intense focus on the female's anus, especially in conjunction with the trailer's title, degrades and dehumanises the female by encouraging the viewer to see her as no more than an orifice for penetration.

Approved components of film after excision:

Feature:	Sylvana: Lady of Lust & Passion	Running time:	82.41
Trailers:	Safe Sex Notice	Running time:	1.01
	Video Wholesalers Notice		1.00
	Copyright Warning Notice		0.07
	Ben Dover's Royal Ass Force		0.58
	Sexy Nurses 3		2.13
	Planet of the Gapes		2.02
	Red Vibe Diaries 2		2.08
	Venom 3		2.03
	Taboo 17		2.03
	Skin the Series		3.02
		Total Amended Running time:	99.18

Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.

Display Conditions:

Nil.

Descriptive Note:

Contains explicit sex scenes.

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